**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**
**ABSTRACT**

Public Services - MA&UD Department – Allegations leveled against Sri N.Sanyasi Rao, the then Assistant Engineer and two (2) others of Palasa – Kasibugga Municipality, Srikakulam District - Departmental Proceedings initiated against them under Rule-20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Inquiry ordered - Charges held 'proved' – Imposing a penalty of Withholding of One Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect Sri N.Sanyasi Rao, the then Assistant Engineer, Palasa –Kasibugga Municipality - Orders – Issued.

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**MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT**

**G.O.Rt.No.110** **Dated. 30.01.2024**

**Read the following:**

1. From the Registrar, I/O A.P Lokayukta, Hyderabad Lr.Dis.No. 754/2007/B2, dt.15.12.2012.
2. From the C&DMA., A.P., Hyderabad, Lr. Roc.No.982/2013/A1, Dated:10.05.2013 & 09.04.2015
3. G.O.Rt.No.439, MA&UD (Vig.II) Department, dated.27.06.2015.
4. G.O.Rt.No.440, MA&UD (Vig.II) Department, dated.27.06.2015.
5. Written Statement of Defence of Sri N.Sanyasi Rao, the then Assistant Engineer, Palasa –kasibugga Municipality received from ENC(PH).
6. G.O.Rt.No.784, MA&UD (Vig.II) Department, dated.17.12.2015.
7. G.O.Rt.No.785, MA&UD (Vig.II) Department, dated.17.12.2015.
8. Inquiry Report of Sri T. Sakala Reddy, the then R&DMA, Rajahmundry, Lr.Roc.No.40/2016/A3, dated.14.05.2017.
9. Govt.Memo.No.423/Vig.II/2013, dated.11.08.2022.
10. Written representations from Sri N.Sanyasi Rao, the then Assistant Engineer, Palasa –kasibugga Municipality.

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**O R D E R:**

In the reference 1st read above, the Hon'ble Lokayukta ordered to submit Action Taken Report on the allegations leveled against Staff of Palasa – kasibugga Municipality. In the reference 2nd read above, the C&DMA had furnished draft article of charges against the erred officials and requested to take necessary action in the matter.

2. In the reference 3rd read above, Government initiated common disciplinary proceedings against Sri N.Sanyasi Rao, the then Assistant Engineer and two (2) others of Palasa – Kasibugga Municipality, Srikakulam District under Rule-24 of A.P.C.S. (CC&A) Rules, 1991. In the reference 4th read above, articles of charges were framed against Sri N.Sanyasi Rao, the then Assistant Engineer under Rule-20 of A.P.C.S. (CC&A) Rules, 1991, duly directing him to submit his written statement of defence thereon.

3. Having not convinced with the explanations submitted by the charged officer, Government appointed Regional Director of Municipal Administration, Rajahmundry, as an Inquiry Officer to inquire into the charges framed against

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the said charged officer, vide reference 6th read above. In the reference 7th read above, the Municipal Commissioner, Palasa Kasibugga Municipality, Srikakulam District appointed as Presenting Officer to present the case before the Inquiry authority on behalf of the disciplinary authority.

4. In the reference 8th read above, Sri T. Sakala Reddy, the then R&DMA, Rajahmundry submitted Inquiry report concluding that, out of Four (4) charges framed against Sri N.Sanyasi Rao, the then Assistant Engineer Three (3) charges are held ' proved' in the Inquiry.

5. Government have examined the Inquiry report and communicated a copy of Inquiry report to Sri N.Sanyasi Rao, the then Assistant Engineer Palasa-Kasibugga Municipality under Rule 21 (2) of APCS (CC&A) Rules 1991, directing him to submit his written representation, if any, on the findings of the Inquiry officer vide reference 9th read above.

6. In the reference 10th read above, Sri N.Sanyasi Rao, the then Assistant Engineer Palasa-Kasibugga Municipality submitted his written representation duly denying the findings of Inquiry Officer and requested to drop further action against him.

7. Government after careful examination of the matter; keeping in view of the findings of the Inquiry report, written representation of the charged officer and after following due procedure, it has been decided to Impose a penalty of Withholding of One Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect against Sri N.Sanyasi Rao, the then Assistant Engineer, Palasa –Kasibugga Municipality, as the charges are held proved in the Inquiry.

8. Accordingly, Government hereby order to impose a penalty of "Withholding of One Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect" against Sri N.Sanyasi Rao, the then Assistant Engineer, Palasa –Kasibugga Municipality.

9. The Engineer –In- Chief (Public Health), Tadepalli, Guntur shall take further necessary action in the matter, accordingly.

10. The receipt of the G.O., shall be acknowledged.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**Y. SRILAKSHMI**
**SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To

Sri N.Sanyasi Rao, the then Assistant Engineer,
Palasa –Kasibugga Municipality - **through** the ENC(PH), A.P., Guntur.
The Engineer –In- Chief (Public Health), Tadepalli, Guntur.

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**Copy to:**
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**SECTION OFFICER.**